



**Danny Rhynes Interagency Training Center**  
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### **Memorandum**

**DATE: March 28, 2011**

**SUBJECT: S-212C Unlimited Faller**

**TO: Students**

You have been selected to attend the S-212C unlimited faller training session on the San Bernardino National Forest sponsored by the Danny Rhynes Training Center on **April 25-29, 2011**. Please note that the training will be held at the Idyllwild Fire Protection District. Class will begin at 0900 hours on Monday, April 25 and conclude at approximately 1700 hours on Friday, April 29.

Idyllwild Fire Protection District  
54160 Maranatha Drive  
Idyllwild, CA 92549  
Phone 951-659-4638

**Trainee prerequisites are:**

1. Successful completion of I-200 Basic ICS.
2. Skilled in the use of chainsaws felling trees 24" dbh or larger.
3. 2 years experience at the class B level.
4. Completed Job Aid or recommendation from Forest "C" Faller for course attendance.

**Pre-course work assignment:** (bring to class on the first day)

**Explain 5 near miss personal experiences with falling and bucking. Be prepared to share your essay in class.**

**Review "Professional Timber Falling" A Procedural approach By D. Douglas Dent Prior to the first day of class.**

**Each student must bring to class:**

1. All appropriate PPE, to include USFS approved safety chaps.
2. Chainsaw with a minimum 36" bar.
3. 5 lb. felling axe.
4. Dolmar filled with saw mix & bar oil.
5. Wedges and saw maintenance kit. To include extra chain.
6. Rain gear is highly recommended.
7. **NOTE:** If you need a place to secure your saw equipment on Sunday night, you can contact Jesse Estrada at 951-315-5860. We recommend that you **do not** leave your saw equipment overnight in your vehicle.

\*\*\*\*\* ALL STUDENTS\*\*\*\*\*

Please complete and return the student profile and pre-registration form to the training center no later than close of business **Wednesday, April 11, 2011** FAX copies are sufficient.

### **Billing Information:**

#### **Tuition**

You tuition cost is     **\$900.00**

#### **Allan Hancock College – Community College District Program:**

DRTC has an agreement with Allan Hancock College to provide this class as part of their curriculum. Upon successful completion, the course will be entered on your college transcript. Allan Hancock College enrollment process is now online and students are required to enroll prior to the first day of class.

**Out of State students are not required to register with the college. This is due to the out of state fees that would be incurred by the student to enroll.**

### **Instructions for Completing College Registration**

1. Go to [www.hancockcollege.edu](http://www.hancockcollege.edu)
2. Click on the Credit Admission Application link on the far right.
3. Fill out the form and click the Begin Admission Process button
4. Once the above step is completed you will be given a student ID (H number) a username and a temporary password. Please keep these for your records.
5. Please write your Student ID (H number) on your pre-registration form that you will need to submit to us.
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**Student MUST register no later than April 15, 2011. Please keep in mind, AHC website will be down for registration April 9-11. If you have any questions, please let us know.**

**Forest Service (Other Regions):** The approved NWCG Nomination Form will be used for payment. This form must include proper agency charge codes and signatures.

**Other Federal Agencies:** The approved NWCG Nomination Form will be used for payment. This form must include proper agency codes, agreement numbers and signatures.

**Other Non Federal Agencies:** It is recommended that students pay with check or money order at the facility at the start of class. There is an additional 7.1% administrative fee added to this tuition charge. If payment is not received, a bill of collection will be issued to your agency.

**Cancellations:** The last date to cancel for this course is April 11, 2011.

If a student cancels and pre work has already been received, the student needs to return pre work to the training facility.

**Dress:** Please dress for field exercises with Safety gear, full PPE; nomex shirt, boots, eye protection, etc.

**Travel:** For travel and lodging information navigate on the internet to the DRTC website:  
<http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/sanbernardino/train/travel.shtml>

**Lodging in Idyllwild:**

Idyllwild Inn 888-659-2552

Tahquitz Inn 951-659-4554

Creek Stone Inn 951-659-3342

Any questions regarding this course may be directed to your unit training coordinator or appropriate training representative. If you are self-sponsored, you may contact the training center directly at  
[drtc@fs.fed.us](mailto:drtc@fs.fed.us)

Kristel Johnson  
Forest Training Officer

Enclosures:

Lodging Information & Local Area Maps

All Student-Pre-Registration Form

“Professional Timber Falling” a Procedural approach by Douglas Dent